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AMERICAN LEGION BAND Picture Show Max Linder ...in.... 7 Years of Bad Luck

This is a good, clean comedy from start to finish. There will be no "freak" make-ups, no silly wigs or mustaches, no custard pies thrown or any juggling acts. This is not a Mack Sennett "country comedy", but is a real play with real actors.

The managers of this show wish to announce that they will have tailors and seamstresses present to replace any buttons you may lose from laughing at this picture.

DRUM'S HALL LUTESVILLE Saturday Night

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI NEWS

Greenville is to vote on the city stock law at the April election.

The American Legion at Perryville is planning to purchase a ten-acre tract of land for a memorial park. Two tracts are under consideration.

Fredericktown Democrat-News Mary Jane Janis, a negro inmate of the Ste. Genevieve county poor farm, died March 11 at the age of 110 years. She was probably the oldest person in southeast Missouri.

The supreme court has just handed down an opinion by which Wayne county finds herself \$2000 richer. The suit was to compel S. Bender, who bought and junked the Ozark Valley railroad, to pay the taxes on the property. The matter has been in the courts several years.

Chas. Eldracher, a well known fireman for many years on the Missouri Pacific, was struck on the head by a freight car while leaning out of the cab window last Sunday while making a run from Poplar Bluff to Cairo, Ill. He was taken to his home at Charleston, but died almost instantly.

Wash Miller, formerly a prominent Oak Ridge banker, but sentenced over a year ago to two years in the penitentiary on a charge of embezzlement, has been released and is now at home. His sentence was cut down by good behavior and extra work. It is reported that Miller intends to make complete restitution for every dollar lost by him.

G. C. Alee has bought the Fredricktown-St. Louis taxicab line from J. D. Daniels and is reviving it. Two trips will be made

particular and only the absence of a drunk kept it from spreading rapidly. And the blaze not been stopped scalded a large area of the best business section of the town before it had been destroyed.

W. M. COLLEGE NEWS

The Junior College Inspection committee of the university of Missouri was here Thursday and Friday of last week. The two men who came were Dr. Trenholme, head of the department of history, and Dr. Schlundt, head of the department of chemistry. The committee seemed well pleased with our faculty and our work. The report of the committee will be here some time in April. We are expecting a very favorable report.

Both Dr. Schlundt and Dr. Trenholme gave interesting talks in chapel Friday morning. Dr. Trenholme reviewed the history of the Junior College movement in Missouri, stating that in certain colleges are in operation tan sections of the state more than are necessary, while in other sections, such as southeast Missouri, the junior colleges now in existence hardly meet the needs. He closed his speech by commenting favorably upon the wholesome idealism of the school and the earnestness of the student body.

Dr. Schlundt spoke somewhat at length on the distinction between the college and a university, pointing out that the purpose of the college is to prepare the student for citizenship by teaching him the truths that are already known and giving him a true sense of the relationship between man and his environment; while the university goes farther and delves into the sphere of the unknown, searching out the truths of nature that they may be utilized in the program of civilization. He continued in saying that there is no conflict in the program of our Junior college and the university. Both men stated that they would do all they could to make Will Mayfield one of the leading junior colleges of the state.

Miss Inlow, Miss Wallace and Mr. Kline were speaking in the Chapel Saturday.

If you have some leisure hours this summer why not come up to the College library and spend some long, quiet, acquaintance with our new book? Many new books have been added this year. You will find also the latest copy of most of the reading magazines. You are invited to spend as much time as you desire in the library.

Mr. Ellis conducted a group of several students on an outing Saturday. They report a nice time.

William Sullivan was seen Saturday morning on his way to Crooked creek with his fishing rod. Billy is recognized in the community as an expert fisherman. He knows where to find the bass and other game fish as soon as the first warm sunny days appear. Billy's knowledge of botany attained this year should add materially to his enjoyment of fishing trips.

J. K. Wells, school treasurer, is suffering the last few days with an ulcerated eye ball.

The school calendar for the remainder of the year is as follows:

March 30 and 31.—Inter class basketball tournament.

April 2 to 7.—Dr. Wm. Pearce lecture series.

April 14.—Finals in inter class debates.

April 21.—Athletic carnival.

April 28.—Operetta.

May 5.—Graduating address by Hon. Sam A. Baker.

May 6.—Alumni day.

May 6 (night)—Alumni banquet.

May 7.—Baccalaureate sermon.

May 8.—Term closes with class exercises at night.

The summer school will begin May 22 and close July 14. From the interest shown in all parts of southeast Missouri it looks as

if we may have a large enrollment. One unit of high school credit can be made, or eight hours of college work in the 8 weeks. Grades will be certified for teacher's certificates.

Owing to the high water Dr. Wm. P. Pearce's lectures that were scheduled to begin April 3 will be postponed until after Easter.

MAYFIELD LOSES TO LEAD BELT COMETS

Mayfield lost the game with the Lead Belt Comets at the College gymnasium last Saturday night in a much harder fought game than the score indicates.

Box Score

Comets

Evans, f	.....	19
Wininger, f	.....	4
Burford, c	.....	8
Stanfield	.....	0
Kohen, g	.....	4
Center, g	.....	0
		35
	Mayfield	
Center, f	.....	9
McDonald, f	.....	10
Hards, c	.....	4
Hart, g	.....	9
Sullivan, g	.....	0
		23

Referee Devilbiss, principal of Fredericktown High school.

Evans is a five-letter man from William Jewell, now teaching in the high school at Estehr. Burford is a letter man from the dead, having played center for the college one or more years, now athletic director of the Flat River high school. The other members of the squad are the best of Esther's high school team, the champions of the Lead Belt.

It was discovered early in the game that we were up against a stiff opposition. Burford, the tanky center, was too much for Hardy in the jump, which put Mayfield on the defensive from the start. The first half Evans had the points in the first few minutes before Mayfield got settled down to business better. At this stage the game about equal both sides. Macbeth scored one point more than the visitors during the last half.

It was very evident to all the fans that Hardy was cold from a goal shot that he missed shot after shot at range, which is by no means custom. McDonald gave

account of himself, scoring two markers from the floor. As about the last of the game, seemed to come to himself and realize that we were holding the all end of the road and struck

a stride that carried us those 2 goals in rapid succession. Hart and Sullivan played a smart game after the first few minutes. The rapid floor work of Evans got them confused at first but they allowed Hart to score several points. But it is looks for him that he did that victory in the first five minutes for he was unable to do so afterwards.

MINISTERIAL CLASS HOSTS

The ministerial class of Will Mayfield College entertained their wives and a few friends at the Baptist church on Tuesday evening with a fine program and banquet.

The young men put on a play entitled "The Fifty Ninth Session of Skunk Hollow Association" which was entirely of their own composition, and they deserve much praise for the manner in which it was staged.

It was full of good, wholesome mirth from start to finish, yet a most wonderful lesson so true to life was therein portrayed.

Mr. Linder rendered a beautiful clarinet solo, accompanied by Miss Gladys Aly on the piano.

The young men of this class expect to put this play on again at an early date for the public.

If you know any news, call 24

METHODISTS PLAN FOR WORLD SUNDAY

To Make Effort on April 2 to Collect Centenary Pledges

Because of rain or last Sabbath April 2 has been designated for the observance of World Sunday in the Southern Methodist churches in the Farmington district.

A significant step in the progress of Southern Methodism is the appointment of a day to be known as "World Sunday" throughout its entire connection. This decision was reached at the church-wide conference on world program and missionary advance recently held in Memphis, Tenn., and came as a climax to what is said to be the most notable meeting of Methodists ever assembled.

"World Sunday", as adopted by the 400 and more Methodist leaders in Memphis, proposes to secure for the church as brilliant a record in the matter of payment of pledges as it has already attained in subscribing to the centenary movement which has claimed the attention of that denomination for the past three years and through which some \$50,000,000 was subscribed for missions and other causes of the church.

In a review of the work of the church through semi annual channels it was shown that 60 per cent of the entire amount pledged is now due, whereas, only 40 per cent has been paid, and that unless church members in arrears come up with their payments before the meeting of the general conference in May, the church will be hindered in carrying on the enlarged program planned under the centenary movement.

In order that at least \$4,000,000 of unpaid centenary pledges be secured within the next 3 months plans have been made to call back into action all of the forces of the church in an effort to bring the payment of pledges up to date.

Sunday, April 2, has been designated as "World Sunday", whose payment of overdue centenary pledges will be the theme during the week that follows. Local centenary committees will be reorganized and all subscribers who are in arrears will be personally interviewed and urged to bring their payments up to date.

The idea of a "World Sunday" for Southern Methodists, whose through out the bounds of that denomination a simultaneous effort will be made for collection of centenary dues, originated with Dr. Charles C. Schleeman, pastor of the First Methodist church, Dallas, Texas. Dr. Schleeman has already demonstrated the practicability and efficiency of this plan using Easter Sunday as last year's "World Sunday" for the church of which he is pastor, with the result that the minimum offering for that Sunday amounted to between \$5,000 and \$6,000.

The real result of the movement," said Dr. Schleeman, "could not be estimated in cash. Many who had been backward in their payments were reminded of the sacredness of the claim and came forward in a few weeks with their money while the rest of the church for missions was quickened by the campaign."

In Memory of Mrs. Hulda J. Wallis

Dear mother and grandmother: While together and at home to night.

These lines we have endeavored to write.

That just one year ago today the angel of death called you away.

Upon this earth we are permitted to roam.

It never was intended as our home.

And when life's work is done We pray to meet you above.

J. D. Wallis and Family.

March 29, 1922.

REV. BALDRIDGE SPOKE AT UNION MEETING

Rev. A. S. J. Baldrige, one of the district secretaries of the Anti-Saloon league, spoke at the College gymnasium last Sunday afternoon. Despite the rainy, stormy weather quite a number braved the storm to lend their presence at this meeting. Rev. J. P. McDonald presided over the meeting.

Rev. Baldrige spoke on "Law Enforcement", stressing the imperative need of every good American citizen living up to law enforcement.

It is to be regretted that every man and woman of the entire community could not hear his address.

The meeting had been quite extensively advertised as the Twin City meeting through the efforts of the public schools of both towns. The three lower grades of both schools entered into a contest to secure a large American flag, which the Anti-Saloon league gave to the grade securing the largest number in attendance. The primary grade of Marble Hill was the winner.

The teacher, Mrs. Shinkard, was called to the front and in a few well chosen words the chairman presented her the flag, and she in turn expressed thanks in behalf of her pupils, saying that the little ones had worked heroically to secure it and felt that they were well paid for the effort put forth to secure it.

There were twenty-five names pledged to the Law Enforcement league, which has just recently been organized in this county.

Owing to the stormy weather Sunday Lutesville could not be represented, but they will have a similar meeting on Wednesday evening, March 29, at the M. E. church. Rally to a good cause. Let every citizen turn out to this meeting.

LIONEL BARRYMORE AT ST. LOUIS

Lionel Barrymore and Original New York Cast including Irene Fenwick Coming to the Shubert Jefferson Theatre St. Louis, Week Commencing April 2nd.

Costume Barrister in "The Claw", which opens at the Shubert Jefferson Theatre this week, commencing April 2nd, scored a real hit in New York City and Boston. Those cities were supposed to like their drama stars, but not. But Henri Bernstein's idea is acted, even better. "The Claw" comes in to the home戏剧场 says, "It tells the story of the infatuation of a famous man for an intriguing girl of a sort of how she seduces and breaks him, of his debasement and his eventual destruction." E. E. Hartman in the Boston Advertiser says, "It is one of the most powerful plays in modern times. The like it since Mansfield was first American stage has seen nothing coming round the corner in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" and "The Parasite".

Here, there is strong meat, and New York and Boston playgoers passed by the lifeline in favor of this harder fare. This was most disorganizing to the majority of managers who thought they at least had learned what the public wants; and it was correspondingly gratifying to Arthur Hopkins who produced "The Claw." The management of the theatre is giving special attention to out-of-the-city mail orders and out-of-town patrons will receive the same attention as well purchasers at the ticket window.

Elfrank & Foss are making some valuable improvements on their Ford garage at Lutesville. The office is being enlarged and a new show room and parts room are being added. When completed this garage will be as up to date as can be found anywhere.